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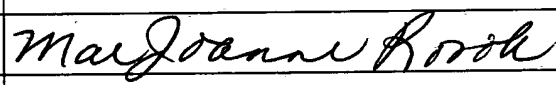
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In response to the Restriction Requirement dated February 4, 2003, Applicants hereby elect, without traverse, Group I, claims 1-8, 23, and 24, for examination at this time.

In view of the above election, Applicants hereby cancel non-elected claims 9-22, and 25 without prejudice to the filing of any divisional, continuation, or continuation-in-part application. Consideration of the elected claims is now requested.

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